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Title: GUTTER LINING METHOD AND INSERT APPARATUS
INCORPORATING POROUS NON-WOVEN FIBER MATTING

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner For Patents
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Sir:

Applicant hereby respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time in the above-identified application for responding to the final Office Action dated October 25, 2004. The instant Petition is being filed together with a responsive amendment. Since the requested extension of time would not extend the total response time beyond the six-month statutory period, it is believed that this petition is in order and approval of same in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 is earnestly solicited.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee (\$60.00) to Deposit Account No. 500744 in the name of Carrier, Blackman & Associates, P.C. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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